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TO THE MUSICIANS OF BANGOR AND VICINITY.

The undersigned respectfully informs the Musicians of Bangor and vicinity that he has just received a fresh supply of Violins, Violin Bows, Violin Cases, Violin Strings, Violin Trimmings, Violin Fingerboards, Guitars, Guitar Strings, Accordeons, Fifes, Flutes, Flageolets, Music Paper, Music Books, Tuning Forks, Pitch Pipes, Metrical Harmony, Wilder's Cornet Instructor, Winn's Small Double Bass Instructor, &c. &c.

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JOHN JORDAN WM MANNIGAN

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Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law

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Jan 28—3aw

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NATHAN L. PERKINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW may 31

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Furs & Skins bought at the highest market price. 3m22

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J. H. CLERGUE

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Ladies' Entrance on Pickering Square. dec22

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Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, &c.

All kinds of Clothing made to order at short notice.

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JOHN B. FOSTER & CO.,

Commission Merchants,

Auctioneers & Insurance Agents,

No 44 West Market Square, Bangor, Me

Particular attention given to the sale of Real Estate, Merchandise and Personal Property may18

WM. T. HILLIARD,

Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law,

—OFFICE—

Over Mercantile Bank, Hammond St.

Bangor Nov 22, 1866—tf (Times copy)

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AT THE

WHIG & COURIER JOB OFFICE,

KENDUSKEAG BRIDGE.

Insurance Policies

PRINTED AT THE

Whig & Courier Job Office,

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MANUFACTURED BY

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It is neatly arranged no heavier than a common lantern no possible danger of fire and admirably adapted for a fine foot stool, warmer or lantern

Town and County rights for sale. Also for sale by JENNESS & SONS and H P WOOD

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Braiding,

Embroidery,

and Sewing,

Of all kinds done to order, at the BANGOR BAZAAR

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WORM LOZENGES.

WE can with confidence point to FELLOWS' WORM LOZENGES as the most perfect remedy for those troublesome pests

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Various remedies have from time to time been recommended such as calomel oil of wormseed turpentine &c proved dangerous and sometimes fatal consequences After much research study and experiments embracing several years the proprietors of FELLOWS WORM LOZENGES have succeeded in producing this remedy free from all objections and positively safe pleasant and effectual They do not kill the worms but act by making their dwelling place disagreeable to them In order to assure consumers of the genuineness of these Lozenges the analysis of Dr A A Hayes State Assayer is annexed

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NOTICE

TO SELLERS OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by an order of the Mayor and Aldermen passed May 14 1866 the City Marshal is directed to enforce the Act entitled an Act for the suppression of Drinking Houses and Tippling Shops approved March 25th 1858 and acts additional thereto In obedience to said orders the undersigned will proceed to take measures to enforce the provisions of said act in all cases of violation thereof in this city from and after 20 days next H B FARNHAM, City Marshal

may 16

American Lloyds!

THE UNDERSIGNED hereby gives notice that he has been appointed agent of American Lloyds, for the state of Maine, and is prepared to inspect vessels of all sizes in course of construction, and report the same or class fication

Ship builders and owners would therefor confer a favor by sending me early notice of the vessels they are building for which a class is desired

WILLIAM ROGERS Inspector

Bath Maine Nov 19th, 1866. n28 2m*

MINERAL BATH AT HOME.

Dyspepsia Cured,

Rheumatism Cured,

Eruptions on the Face Cured,

Scrofula Cured,

BY TREATMENT WITH MINERAL WATERS

Do away with all your various and often pernicious drugs and quack medicines, and use a few baths prepared with

"STRUMATIC SALTS"

These SALTS are made from the concentrated Liquors of the Mineral Well of the Penn's Salt Manuf Co in Pittsburgh and are packed in air tight boxes One always suffices for a bath Directions are attached, Internally use

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ANCHOR WORKS

WE are now making ANCHORS of all sizes, and subject of the lowest market rates.

Heavy forging done to order. All work warranted. G. G. & A. H. ROGERS.

Gardiner, Sept. 18, 1866. dtf

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DYE WOODS, Alum, Copperas, Logwood, Fustic, Indigo, Tin Dye Kettles, Dye Brushes, Dyers' Soap, Soda, Saleratus, Cream Tartar, Madder, Sumac, Cochineal, Fluid Dye, Extracts, Blue Vitriol, Red Wood, Camwood, Nicaragua, Cutch, Tampico, Fustic, Barwood, Quercitron Bark, Bleaching Powders, Chloride Lime, Sal Soda, Saltpetre, Borax, Shellac, Glue, Glue Pots, Glue Brushes, Glue Jacks, Sash Tools, Varnish Brushes, Paint Brushes, Putty Knives, Window Glass, Lamp Wick, Tacks, Brimstone, Copperas, Linseed Oil, Spirits Turpentine, Varnish, Japan, Paints, Red Lead, Litharge, Sugar Lead, Zinc White, Paris Green, Chrome Yellow, Chrome Green, Verdigris, Prussian Blue, Ultramarine, Fancy Colors, Gold Leaf, Gold Paint, Bronze, Putty, Glass, Window Glass, Glass Paper, Sand Paper, Emery Paper, Glass Paper Frames, Glass Paper Rolls, Tallow Candles, Sperm Candles, Adamantine Candles, Mould Candles, Soap, Castile Soap, Shaving Soap, Starch, Indigo, Blue, Pipes, Snuff, Tobacco, Segars, Cigar Cases, Tobacco Boxes, Snuff Boxes, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Percussion Caps, Percussion Locks, Gun Barrels, Gun Stocks, Gun Trimmings, Shot, Powder, Lead, Gunpowder, Sporting Powder, Rifle Powder, Blasting Powder, Fuse, Fuse Hose, Cotton Batting, Cotton Wicking, Tallow, Rosin, Pitch, Turpentine, Shoe Thread, Shoe Tacks, Sperm Oil, Neatsfoot Oil, Castor Oil, Train Oil, Linseed Oil, Lard Oil, Kerosene Oil, Burning Fluid, Camphene, Alcohol, Fluid, Brooms, Buckets, Tubs, Chalk, Blacking, Matches, Powder Flasks, Percussion Caps, Percussion Locks, Gun Barrels, Gun Stocks, Gun Trimmings, Shot, Powder, Lead, Gunpowder, Sporting Powder, Rifle Powder, Blasting Powder, Fuse, Fuse Hose, Cotton Batting, Cotton Wicking, Tallow, Rosin, Pitch, Turpentine, Shoe Thread, Shoe Tacks, Sperm Oil, Neatsfoot Oil, Castor Oil, Train Oil, Linseed Oil, Lard Oil, Kerosene Oil, Burning Fluid, Camphene, Alcohol, Fluid, Brooms, Buckets, Tubs, Chalk, Blacking, Matches,

Important to Lumbermen

Owners of Hemlock Lands.

THE AMERICAN PATENTED IMPROVEMENT TANNING COMPANY of New York own the exclusive right in the United States for the manufacture of an improvable EXTRACT from Hemlock Bark for tanning purposes The Bark Extract is now extensively used among Tanners and the demand for it is rapidly increasing. It commands a ready sale in the Boston, New York and Philadelphia markets, at sixty cents per gallon The appliances for manufacturing are simple and not expensive, costing but little more than the ordinary leaches used by Tanners By this process 1½ cords of bark may be reduced so as to concentrate the entire strength into forty gallons of Extract, without in the slightest degree impairing its tanning qualities, and at a cost not exceeding one dollar per cord The saving in freight alone between the transportation of the Extract and the Bark will range from six to eight dollars per cord, so that any one who may own or can but three hundred cords of Bark per year, may save from two hundred to twenty five hundred dollars in the difference in freight.

The Company does not propose to sell Territorial rights but will grant exclusive privileges to manufacture in certain localities, charging a small royalty per gallon on the amount manufactured.

The Company will send competent men to superintend the construction of works, where parties desire to enter into the business, and to instruct in the manufacture of the Extract.

As a guarantee of success to parties entering into this business, the Company will contract to take all the Extract manufactured under their process at fifty cents per gallon delivered in Boston or New York.

Parties in Maine desiring further information as to terms, &c., may call upon or address CHARLES SALE, General Agent for Maine, 24 Exchange street, Bangor, where samples of the apparatus may be seen.

nov29 6m* S. R. KENNEDY, Pres't.

OYSTERS!

Old Virginia Oysters,

AT WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

WANTED!

Lot of Green Shirley!

Bangor Post Office.

Post Office open from 7½ A M to 8 P M, and from 8½ to 9 P M

Western mail closes at 6 A M North Carmel via Hermon at 2 P M, all other closes at 9 P M

The time of the arrivals and departures is the contract time. There are no arrivals or departures on Sunday

The North Carmel via Hermon mail arrives and departs on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

Kenduskeag Brownsville and Greenville offices have a daily mail

The mail to Dexter via Kenduskeag leaves here Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and returns Monday, Wednesday and Friday

The other mails are daily

Arrival and Departure of Mails

	Arrival	Departure
Western, (arrive at depot)	8 P M	7 00 A M
Augusta,	9 P M	6 A M
Maine and St. Johns,	9 A M	9.30 P M
Belfast	9 P M	6 A M
Ellsworth, Machias &c	5 P M	9.30 P M
Houlton,	5 P M	6 A M
Calais and Bucksport,	5 P M	6 A M
Upper Stillwater,	7 P M	6 A M
Dexter, via Kenduskeag,	7 P M	6 A M.
Brownville via Bradford,	7 P M	7 A M
Greenville via Monson,	7 P M	6 A M.
North Carmel via Hermon	12 M	3 P M
Monroe,	6 A M	3 P M.

RATES OF POSTAGE

ON LETTERS

Throughout the United States, cents per half ounce or fraction of a half ounce

To and from the British Provinces no over 2,500 miles, 10 cents per half ounce.

To same over 2500 miles, 15 cents per half ounce

ON NEWSPAPERS—QUARTERLY RATES

Weekly papers (to actual subscribers within the county where published)—FREE

Weekly papers, in the State where published and out of the county, 5 cents per quarter

Weekly papers to any par of the United States 5 cents per quarter

Daily papers (or six papers per week) in the State, 30 cents per quarter

Daily papers out of the State, 30 cents per quarter

(The above rates apply to pap rs weighing not over 4 ounces each—and this embraces almost every paper in the United States)

ON NEWSPAPERS—TRANSIENT RATES

To any part of the United States—PREPAID

One package to one address, not exceeding 4 ounces, 2 cents

Over 4 ounces, and not over 8 ounces, 4 cents

do 8 do do 12 do 6 do

do 12 do do 15 do 8 do

Newspaper must be left open at the ends

ON BOOKS—SOUND OR UNBOUND

If not weighing over 4 pounds.

To one address not exceeding 4 ounces 4 cents

Over 4 ounces, and not over 8 ounces 8 cents

do 8 do do 12 do 12 do

do 12 do do 16 do 16 do

Rates of Letter Postage to Foreign Countries

To England, Ireland and Scotland 24 cents per half ounce

To France and Algeria, by French mail, 15 cents quarter ounce 30 cents half ounce

To German States by prussian closed mail, 28 cents half ounce

do by French mail, 21 cents quarter ounce 42 cents half ounce

do by Bremen mail (except Bremen Frankfort, Luxemburg, Wurtemburg, Holland, and the Netherlands) 15 cts half oz

do by Hamburg mail except Hamburg, Frankfort, Luxemburg Wurtemburg, Holland and the Netherlands, 15 cts half oz

To Bremen, by Bremen mail, 10 cts half ounce

To Hamburg by Hamburg mail, 10 cts half ounce

To Frankfort, Wurtemburg by Bremen mail 15 cents half ounce

To Luxemburg by Bremen or Hamburg mail 22 cents half ounce

To Holland and the Netherlands, by French mail, 21 cents quarter ounce 42 cents half ounce

To Hamburg or Bremen 15 cents

To Austria and its States by Prussian closed mail 30 cents half ounce

do by Bremen and Hamburg mail 15 cents half ounce,

To Russia, by Prussian closed mail 35 cents half ounce, if prepaid

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail 20 cents half ounce

To Prussia, by Prussian closed mail, 30 cents half ounce

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 15 cents half ounce

do by French mail, 21 cents quarter ounce, 42 cents half ounce

To Sardinian States, by Prussian closed mail, 40 cents half ounce, if prepaid

do by French mail, 21 cents quarter ounce, 42 cents half ounce

do by Bremen and Hamburg mail, 23 cents half ounce

To Lombardy by Prussian closed mail, 40 cents half ounce—prepaid

do by French mail 21 cents quarter ounce, 42 cents half ounce.

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 15 cents half ounce.

To Parma and Modena, by French mail, 21 cents quarter ounce 42 cents half oz.

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 25 cents half ounce

To Papal States, by Prussian closed mail, 49 cents half ounce if prepaid

do by French mail, 21 cents quarter ounce 42 cents half ounce

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail 28 cents half ounce

To Tuscany, by Prussian closed mail, if prepaid, 40 cents half ounce

do by French mail 21 cents quarter ounce 42 cents half ounce

do by Prussian closed mail, 47 cts half ounce

do by French mail 21 cents quarter ounce 42 cents half ounce

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 32 cents half ounce—prepaid

To Spain, by French mail 22cts quarter ounce 42 cents half ounce—prepaid

do by British packet, 24 cts half oz.

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail 25 cents half ounce.

To Portugal, by French mail, 22 cents quarter oz 44 cents half ounce—prepaid

do by British mail via England, 33 cents quarter ounce

do by Hamburg or Bremen 25 cents.

To Denmark, by Prussian closed mail 45 cents half ounce if prepaid

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 18 cents half ounce

do by French mail, 27 cents quarter ounce 54 cents half ounce.

To Sweden by Prussian closed mail, 34 cents half ounce if prepaid

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 21 cents half ounce

To Norway, by Prussian closed mail, 33 cents half ounce, if prepaid

do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 25 cents half ounce

do by French mail, 3. cents quarter ounce 66 cents half ounce,

Australia via Panama, 22 cts ½ ounce prepaid

Buenos Ayres, via England 15 cents ½ oz prepaid.

Messina, Prussian closed mail 1, 38 cts ½ oz, prepaid.

Montevideo via England 42 cts ½ oz prepaid

Africa, West Coast, 42 cents ½ ounce prepaid.

Brazil 41 cents half ounce, prepaid

Canary Islands, via England 41 cts ½ oz prepaid

Cape Good Hope via Southampton, 45 cents half ounce prepaid

China, via Southampton 45 cts ½ oz prepaid

East Indies, via Prussian closed mail 68 cents half ounce, prepaid.

Gibraltar, via French mail 42 cts ½ oz, prepaid—

Hamburg or Bremen 25 cents

Mexico, 10 cents half ounce prepaid

Nassau, N P 5 cents half ounce, prepaid

Switzerland, Prussian closed mail, 38 cts ½ oz prepaid,

Hamburg or Bremen 19 cents

Turks Island, 10 cents half ounce, prepaid.

Venezuela, via Southampton, 45 cts ½ oz, prepaid.

Wurtemburg Prussian closed mail, 39 cents

To West India Islands (not British except Cuba, Turk's Island, Carthagena, Honduras San Juan (Nicaragua), Santa Martha, Venezuela, and St. Thomas, 24 cents half ounce

To Canada, New Brunswick Cape Breton, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Foundland 10 cents half ounce, when distance is not over 3000 miles from line of crossing and 16 cents half ounce, if distance exceeds 3000 miles

To Aspinwall and Panama, 10 cents half ounce when distance does not exceed 2500 miles and 20 cents if distance exceeds 2500 miles—prepaid.

To Bogota and Buenaventure, New Granada, 16 cents half ounce—prepaid

To Ecuador Bolivia and Chili, 24 cents half ounce—prepaid

To Peru, 22 cents half ounce—prepaid

To West Indies British (except Turk's Island), 10 cents half ounce if distance does not exceed 2500 miles and 20 cents half ounce if distance exceeds 2500 miles—prepaid

To Sandwich Islands, New South Wales and China by mail to San Francisco, thence by private ship, 24 cents half ounce—prepaid

The postage on letters via Southampton for Victoria, New South Wales, Queensland, Tasmania South Australia, West Australia, and New Zealand, 58 cents per half ounce—prepaid.

NOTE—In all cases where the word prepaid is not added, the pre payment of the postage is optional with the sender

ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Financial Concerns of the County of Penobscot,

From Jany. 1, 1866 to Jany. 1, 1867.

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT,
In account with AMBROSE O. FLINT, Treas'r. CR

By balance as per last settlement,	$1 405 25
By amt of uncollected taxes for ordinary purposes as per last settlement,	5 390 70
By amt of uncollected taxes for repair of roads as per last settlement,	721 17
By E C Brett Clerk for Surplus Fees	97 22
By E C Brett, Clerk, for Jury Fees,	70 00
By E. C Brett Clerk, fines and costs collected by him	1,458 4
By E F Humphrey, Judge of Police Court, for fines collected by him,	788 76
By Trial Justices for fines collected by them	50 50
By Officers for fines and costs collected by them,	800 00
By individuals for fines and costs,	200 08
By G W Whitney Jailer fines & costs collected by him,	159 01
By Samuel Jewett, Master of House of Correction, for collections made by him	227 42
By E C Brett, Clk for license to peddlers,	50 00
By J M Moore, Pound Keeper amt deposited by him on sale of horse,	15 75
By Attorneys for admission fees,	80 00
By miscellaneous receipts	91 85
By amt received for rent of premises on Hammond street, 8 months,	299 98
By temporary loans	19,550 00
By amount of fees forfeited on Abstract No "33"	94 67
By amt of fees forfeited on Abstract, "A"	60 98
By amount of fees forfeited on Abstract Constables for serving Venires,	18 00
By amt of fees due individuals on Abstract No 34,	442 30
By amt of fees due individuals on Abstract "B	352 58
By amt of fees due Constables for serving Venires	91 50
By amount of taxes assessed for year 1866 for ordinary purposes	23 000 00
By amount of taxes assessed for year 1866 for repair of roads,	1 811 51
	$56 827 75

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT,
In account with AMBROSE O FLINT, Treas'r. DR

To paid Bills allowed by Co Commissioners as follows	
For damage on location of roads	$835 22
For Blank Books Stationery, Printing &c	1 311 07
For serving road notices	19 04
For board of prisoners in Jail	3,552 26
For board of prisoners in House of Correction	673 92
For Keys of Decks for copying indexes	21 00
For Clerk of Courts for services and money paid out,	690 93
For repairs and improvements in and about County buildings,	670 33
For fuel and lights	540 60
For care of County buildings, fires, &c.,	375 00
For miscellaneous purposes	365 92
To paid Grand and Travers Jurors,	3 997 70
To paid Sup Jud Court orders to Sheriff and assistants	1 381 48
To paid Sup Jud Court orders to Clerk,	10 00
To paid Sup Jud Court orders for examining Records,	744 00
To paid County Commissioners	956 90
To paid Judge of Probate salary from Oct. 1, 1865, to Oct. 1, 1866	620 00
To paid Register of Probate salary from Oct. 1 1865 to July 1, 1866,	600 00
To paid Recorder of Police Court, salary from Nov 10, 1865 to Nov 10 1866,	400 00
To amt of fees due individuals on Abstract No 33, as per last settlement,	357 37
To amt of fees due individuals on Abstract A as per last settlement,	300 31
To amt of fees due Constables for serving Venires as per last settlement.	75 00
To amt of S J Court orders to Constables or serving Venires	224 80
To amount of Bills of Cost in criminal prosecutions allowed by S J Court,	3 0 5 38
To amount of Bills of Cost in criminal prosecutions allowed by Co Commissioners	1 070 22
To paid A W Paine, Treasurer of Law Library	30 00
To paid Miles Wilson his claim for building Meadow Brook road in Howland in accordance with an act of Legislature approved Feby 12, 1866	2,304 23
To paid Messrs Wheelwright & Morison for premises adjoining County lot per order of County Commissioners April Term 1866,	6 750 00
To paid W K Foster amt deposited by Pound Keeper, June 11 1866, on sale of horse	60 65
To paid temporary loans	13 550 00
To paid interest on loans	447 15
To amt of Road Assessment for 1866, on No ½ Township No 3 R 6, abated by Co Commissioners Aug 7, 1866	510 80
To amt of uncollected taxes for ordinary purposes	9 072 77
To amt. of uncollected taxes for repair of roads,	1 907 68
To allowance to Treasurer,	1 00 00
To balance account,	178 52
	$56 827 75

Statement of the Liabilities and Assets of the County, Dec. 31, 1866.

LIABILITIES.

Due on Salaries and Bills audited Due on Abst acts,	$1 167 18
Due on Crim cal Bills allowed by Co Commissioners amt Dec Term 1866,	886 38
Due on temporary loans,	547 0
Due on accrued interest on same,	8,000 00
Due Law Library Association,	299 00
	129 00
	$10 929 59

ASSETS

Uncollected taxes for ordinary purposes	$9 072 77
Maine Central R R Mortgage Bond,	500 00
Cash on hand,	43 00
Lot on Court Street,	5,500 00
	$15,182 69

REMARKS

The expenses incident to criminal prosecutions the past year have been as follows

Bills of Cost allowed by S. J Court,	$3 016 38
Bills of Cos allowed by County Commissioners,	1 070 22
Board of prisoners in Jail,	3 552 26
Board of prisoners in House of Correction	1 0 2 72
Grand and Traverse Jurors for Criminal Terms	1 921 48
Attendance &c on Court same term,	502 84
Serving Venires for Jurors same term,	107 40
	$11 233 28
Corresponding Expenses in 1865	7,635 11
Increase the past year,	$3 598 19
The receipts into the Treasury the past year for fines & costs and for board of prisoners were	$2 184 19
Corresponding receipts in 1865,	2,569 43
Increase the past year,	$614 76

AMBROSE O. FLINT, Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office Penobscot County. } Feb 17
Bangor, Jany 1, 1867 } 1t&w2w

Important to Lumbermen

Owners of Hemlock Lands.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1867.

Penobscot Christian Convention.

To the Pastors and Brethren of the Churches in Penobscot County and vicinity.

At the late very interesting Christian Convention in Portland, it was recommended that similar Conventions be held in the different Counties in the State. Accordingly, Pastors, Professors in the Seminary, and a Committee from the different Churches, after endeavoring to ascertain the wishes of the people, have decided to call such a Convention in Bangor.

We, therefore, in behalf of the Churches of this city, cordially invite a Delegation from the Christian Churches of this county and vicinity, to meet us in Convention, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, February 26th and 27th.

The Convention will assemble on Tuesday, Feby 26th, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the First Baptist Church.

The object of the meeting, as set forth in the call for the State Convention, is "A free interchange of opinions and experience in regard to the various questions of practical Christian effort.—The work of the Churches.—Home Evangelization.—The spread of the Gospel among the poor and neglected.—The Sunday School.—The suppression of Intemperance," and kindred topics. A fraternal gathering of the different branches of the household of faith, in no party interest, but especially to unite in humble prayer for the presence and blessing of our common Lord.

Delegates from other Counties will be heartily welcomed, and a Committee from the different Churches will provide free entertainment for all Delegates.

S. A. Thatcher	N. H. Bragg,
E. D. Godfrey,	M. Giddings,
J. C. White,	E. F. Duren,
A. S. Weed,	G. W. Merrill,
K. H. Fogg,	
Rev. A. K. P. Small,	Rev. R. Woodhull,
" J. B. Gould,	" E. Pond,
" R. S. Avery,	" G. Shepard,
" L. S. Rowland,	" S. Harris,
" S. P. Fay,	" D. S. Talcott,
" G. W. Field,	" W. G. M. Stone,
" D. Goodwin,	" S. L. B. Chase.

BANGOR, February 15, 1867.

Our Foreign Correspondence.

ROME, Dec. 26, 1866.

In consequence of our labors yesterday, we were late in getting started this morning, but notwithstanding, we had a very agreeable day, most of which was passed visiting studios of American artists. Among others we visited those of Mr. Rogers, who has considerable reputation here and at home as a sculptor. His blind Nidia is very sweet and pretty. The subject is taken from Bulwer's Last Days of Pompeii and represents Nidia as guiding her friends midst the blackness of darkness and falling cinders from Vesuvius. In Mr. Mozier's, Miss Hosmer's, and Miss Foley's studios, we also saw many things that excited our admiration. We then went into the painting studio of an Italian artist and saw some beautiful pictures. We also visited the church of S. Stevano Rotondo. This is a structure built in Nero's time for the sale of meat, but has since been converted into a church. Besides its great antiquity, it is interesting from the frescoes representing the different modes of torture and martyrdom inflicted upon the early Christians. Some were being torn by wild beasts, some having their teeth pulled out, some roasted on an iron gridle, some boiling in cauldrons, some having their tongues cut out, some females having their breasts torn off with immense pincers, some stretched on a rack, some buried alive.—Every mode of torture that infernal malice could invent, seems to have been brought into requisition. The sight is so full of horrors that we did not linger long to see it.

Thursday, Dec. 27. As Mr. and Mrs. B. and Mr. and Mrs. S., had not visited several places of interest which we had, we accompanied them to the Marmatine prisons, the baths of Caracalla, about the Forum, and then we visited the Church of the Holy Cross. This was founded by Constantine in the fourth century, and is said to contain a fragment of the true cross presented to by Helena, the mother of Constantine, who is supposed to have discovered it in Jerusalem. The tradition is that she found in the valley of Jehosephat, three crosses, those of the two thieves and the one on which the Savior was crucified. Not knowing which the *true* one, she ascertained by applying each one in succession to the body of a sick person. No effect was produced when the first two were applied, but when the third application was made the sick man was immediately restored and of course no stronger proof was necessary! Some frescos in the church represent Helena finding the cross and making the application as above. The ground on which the building stands was brought from Jerusalem.

Friday, Dec. 28. Mr. K. being indisposed to-day I stayed at home, while the rest of us visited the Vatican. We went through the same rooms in the museum visited a few days ago, and then went to the great gallery of paintings. Although there are less than forty pictures, it is admitted to be the finest gallery in the world. Raphael's masterpiece, the Transfiguration, is unrivalled. It was his last work, and one on which he poured all the wealth of his great genius. Domenichino's masterpiece, the Communion of St. Jerome, is in the same room with the Transfiguration. The other pictures in the gallery are of the first order and elicit universal admiration. I will not attempt a description.

Saturday, Dec. 29. We first visited the Corsini palace, in which Christiana, Queen of Sweden, died in 1689. It contains a library of 60,000 volumes, and several galleries of paintings, the most celebrated being a Madonna and child, by Murillo. We next drove to the Colonna palace, which also has some fine pictures and statuary. The grand Ball is one of the finest in Rome. It contains two magnificent ebony cabinets and some beautiful frescos and painting. We saw a cannon ball lying upon one of the marble steps with a piece of the step broken. The ball was probably fired here during the French bombardment in 1849. We then went to the Quirinal, one of the palaces of the Pope, though he has not lived in it since he was driven away in 1849, owing, I suppose, to unpleasant associations, as he lived there at the time. It contains 106 apartments all handsomely furnished, and some splendid paintings, tapestry and frescos.—The picture representing the annunciation of the Angel to Mary, by Guido, is one of the best pictures we have yet seen. We went through the gardens, saw the water presents, fountains, organ played by water, upon which W—— played "Tramp, tramp, tramp, the boys are marching," much to the edification of [illegible] guests with their neighbors [illegible] with present. The gardens should be imagined and [illegible].

We next visited the Spada palace, where the chief attraction is the statue of Pompey, at the foot of which "Great Cæsar fell," [illegible] by Brutus and [illegible] [illegible] colors, [illegible] perhaps the most [illegible] [illegible] be imagined.

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DEPOPULATION OF THE SOUTH. The N. Y. Sun says that according to the official census of Alabama, taken last year, the population of that State is about eighteen thousand less than it was in 1860. From the time Alabama was admitted into the Union, in 1819, up to 1860, the population had been steadily increasing, at the rate of at out five per cent per annum, at which rate there would have been now 1,200,000 inhabitants, instead of which the census shows only 945,000. The total loss to Alabama, according to the above figures, is about a quarter of a million—the present population being so much less than it would have been had not the war interrupted its growth. Supposing all the Southern States to have been subjected to the same depopulating influences, the aggregate loss of population would amount to over two millions; and this estimate is probably under the mark than over it. The causes for this falling off are various. Many men were killed in battle, many emigrated to Canada and Europe, and not a few who had gone South from the North returned here on the approach of war. There, too, immigration has been almost suspended for the past six years; and even now the uncertain condition of political affairs in the South prevents many emigrants from choosing that country for their home. This cause alone must keep away from the South all who seek in America a refuge from the political wrongs and privations of foreign governments. That democratic freedom, for which this nation was distinguished in times past, certainly will not attract settlers to the Southern States, where the present system of government is more despotic and oppressive than can be found in the countries from which many of our emigrants come.

AN IMMENSE LUMBER BUSINESS. The amount of pine lumber sawed in the State of Michigan, the past year, as we learn from the Detroit Free Press, was about twelve hundred million feet. Its value was $17,000,000 to $18,000,000. It would more than twice encircle our globe at the equator with a walk four and one half feet wide, or would form a flat roof upon a building covering more than 43 square miles, of territory. The figures do not include the shingles, lath, bolts, barrel stuff, ship timber, and timber in every form not sawed. The number of shingles manufactured is estimated at 500,000,000, worth $1,250,000.

Upon the Kalamazoo river alone 10,000,000 staves and 4,000,000 barrel heads have been manufactured by one mill; upon the Manistee river 4,000,000 feet of lewn timber have been taken out, and nearly one half that amount upon White river, with 1,000 cords of bolts, and upon Grand river 170,000 railroad ties have been cut, and these figures cover not over half the quantity of these products for the year.

It is believed that the lumber business for this year will be increased at least twenty per cent above the amount for last year.

The Christian Convention

Messrs. Wheeler & Lynde:

I notice in your columns an invitation, given "in behalf of the churches of this city" to delegations from "the Christian churches of this county and vicinity" to meet in convention in Bangor, on the 26th and 27th of this month. This Convention is understood to be similar in plan to one recently held in Portland.

These conventions doubtless accomplish much good, and are interesting as showing the gradual decay of sectarianism. But the call has started in the minds of many certain questions, which I would like to ask publicly in your columns. The first is, whether the spirit of sectarianism is as dead as it appears. Does the call mean what it says? Has the time actually arrived, when *all* Christian churches can meet and work together, without regard to denominational differences? The second is, whether the word "Christian" is meant to be understood with certain limitations, furnishing a new application of the text, "Many be *called*, but few chosen;" and if so, whether some limiting word should not be added in the call.

Bangor, Feb. 19. QUERE.

WHAT INDUSTRY WILL DO. Under this head the Waco (Texas) Register has the following:

Last year a young man living near this place, Albert Sears, rented a piece of good land, hired one good old freedman, and with his own hands went to work to cultivate the soil. He worked manfully and well. And now for the fruits of his industry: He has gathered twenty-four bales of cotton, two thousand bushels of corn, and made four hundred gallons of molasses from sorghum. He also has some pork to spare. He has sold sixteen hundred bushels of corn for $1,200 gold, obtained three hundred for his molasses, and his cotton is good for $1,800 more—making in all $3,800. He was at some trifling extra expense during cotton-picking time.

NEW COUNTERFEIT TENS. The detectives of the secret service division of the Treasury Department have just discovered a new counterfeit on the $10 plates of the national bank notes. The one discovered represents to be the issue of the Flour City National Bank, Rochester, New York; but as the name of the bank can be changed at the instance of the counterfeiters, parties receiving such notes will be on their guard and closely scrutinize all national bank notes of this denomination. The general appearance of the counterfeit is very good indeed, and well calculated to deceive any but the most expert. The vignettes on the face of the note are exceedingly well executed, and show that experienced engravers have been engaged in preparing the plate. The signatures of the Register of the Treasury and the United States Treasurer have been well imitated, but the signatures of the officers of the bank are very poor, and plainly show that they have been printed. The back of the note has not been so well executed as the face, but the green coloring is very good, and equal to if not better than the genuine notes. The copy of the picture representing the discovery of the Mississippi by De Soto, which is borne by the genuine notes of the denomination, is not so well done in this counterfeit as the remainder of the note, but, nevertheless, shows the skill of an experienced workman, and will, doubtless, deceive many.

At a dinner party not far from Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, New York, a few evenings since, there was together at the table Alexander T. Stewart, George Peabody, Robert T. Stewart, William B. Astor and Moses Taylor, not to speak of others who ranked below ten million apiece. The aggregate wealth at the table was reckoned at two hundred millions.

The American Institute has decided to hold a world's fair at New York in 1876, beginning on the 4th of July, the centennial of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

Americans visiting England through Ireland, will be well to leave their purse at home. Passengers now are estimated at [illegible] the smallest coin is sure to be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

TELEGRAPHIC
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News from the Capital.

John H. Surratt Lodged in Jail in Washington.

He Claims that the Authorities are Mistaken in their Prisoner.

Death of the Last Soldier of the Revolution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.

[illegible] yesterday issued a bench warrant [illegible] for the District of Columbia. [illegible] this afternoon Mar[illegible] proceeded to the Navy Yard, [illegible] delivered Surratt to him. He [illegible] the costume of the Roman [illegible] had on when captured in [illegible] identified. He was taken [illegible] jail, where he was placed in [illegible] fitted up for murderers [illegible] characters. There is no possibility of escape, and no one will be allowed [illegible] excepting his counsel and [illegible] The prisoner positively [illegible] that he is John H. Surratt. [illegible] released to Gen. Sickles, [illegible] United States of Columbia [illegible] protest against the decree [illegible] Columbia in reference to [illegible] the Columbian authorities [illegible] captured and brought into [illegible] cruisers of the allied Re[illegible] Peru, in the war with Spain, [illegible] in contravention of the [illegible] and giving notice that should [illegible] captured prize [illegible] will be null and void, as [illegible] United States.

[illegible] General Grant, a circular [illegible] directing that hereafter that [illegible] shall be enlisted [illegible] any arm of the service [illegible] to the Regular Army [illegible] Americans.

TOPEKA, Ka., Feb. 19.

[illegible] on the Santa Fe stage line [illegible] Junction City on Wednesday [illegible] that she became through [illegible] the commanding officer furbade [illegible] as there was great danger from [illegible] Indians. He says they were so badly [illegible] at Fort Dodge that they were digging [illegible] and throwing up earthworks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.

A Notice. Convention of the Board of Underwriters will be held here to-morrow [illegible] expected to represent a larger [illegible] of insurance companies than were [illegible] associated in the country.

[illegible] closed easier, with a moderate [illegible] of loans 1@2 per cent. on Government securities, and 1 per cent. on miscellaneous securities continued active [illegible] to the close.

[illegible] strong and firm at the last open board [illegible] after call.

[illegible] firm and generally better.

BOSTON, Feb. 19.

[illegible] substantially abolishing the [illegible] matter being debated several days [illegible] House of Representatives, was ordered to be engrossed this afternoon by 120 [illegible] 37 nays. The bill passed the Senate [illegible] a week ago, and it will become a law [illegible] Saturday of July next.

[illegible] Hearing in the various petitions for a [illegible] law before the joint special committee of the two branches of the Legislature commenced to-day, and addresses in [illegible] such a law were made by Hons. L. [illegible] and Emory Washburn. Ex-Governor [illegible] retained for the petitioners [illegible] the hearing will occupy several days.

[illegible] 1867 had 20 ships against six [illegible] year and 53 barks against 11 last year [illegible] at this port. Fifty thousand bales [illegible] have been received here during the same period.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.

Yesterday the Panama steamer carried [illegible] of gold valued at over $200,000 for Valparaiso on account of the Chilian Government. It was a part of the proceeds of a loan of two millions and a quarter recently [illegible] in England.

Rear Admiral Thatcher, U. S. N., and Capt. Turner of the British Navy have [illegible] decorated with the cross order of King Kamehameha, the first for courtesies extended to Queen Emma on board their respective vessels.

Honolulu advices of Jan 30 state that a Court has rendered an important decision [illegible] the captain of the whale ship [illegible] for the non-return of seamen from [illegible] to New Bedford. The law will [illegible] enforced against whalers and [illegible] shipping native seamen.

Legal tenders 74.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 19.

The Senate to-day designated Tuesday [illegible] the inauguration of Lieut. Gov. Gorsuch [illegible] place of Gov. Swann, elected [illegible] Senator.

HARTFORD, Feb. 19.

Mott Hewins of Hartford won the championship billiard cue of Connecticut from M. Wolfskap of Hartford this evening by 243 points in a game of 1000 points carom. The winners average was seven and his highest run 65.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 18.

The United States Court in this city yesterday acquitted Dr. C. W. Faris, who was indicted for the murder of Morrow and Baker.

The river is falling steadily.

SAVANNAH, Feb. 19.

Arrived—Brig Chimborazo, Boston.

Monetary Affairs.

NEW YORK, February 19. SECOND BOARD.—The Stock Market was steady this afternoon. United States 6-20s coupon, 1862, 111¼@111¾; do. 1864 108; do. do. 1865, [illegible] do. do. new issue [illegible]; U. S. 10-40s, 102; U. S. 7-30s, first series, [illegible] do. do. second series, [illegible]; do. do. third series, 100¾. The Money market continues easy at six per cent—Missouri State Sixes 90¾. Michigan Central 108. New York Central Railroad 1[illegible]¾. Erie [illegible]¼. Michigan South's 78¾. Cleveland & Pittsburg 8[illegible]. Cleveland & Toledo 9[illegible]. Chicago & Rock Island 97½. Chicago and Northwestern [illegible]. Galena & Chicago [illegible]. Pacific Mail [illegible]. Western Union Telegraph 35¾. Illinois Central 1[illegible]. Reading 1[illegible]. Hudson 1[illegible]. Ohio 9[illegible]. Government Certificates [illegible]. Boston Water Power Co. [illegible]. Cumberland preferred [illegible]. Quicksilver Mining Co. 25¾; Adams Express Co. 6[illegible]; American Express Co. 56; United States Express Company 62. Merchants Union Express Co. 22¾. Wells Fargo & Co. 64¾; Pacific Mail Steamship Company 132½; Atlantic Steamship Co. 102¾. Mariposa Mining Co. preferred 23¾. Wabash & Toledo 100.

American gold 136¾.

Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19. Cotton is dull & heavy—sales 400 bales; middling upands 32½@33 cents. Flour active, unchanged—sales 9000 barrels. Beefs $30@31 for mess. Pork $[illegible] for mess. Lard [illegible] Whiskey [illegible] Rice [illegible] Sugars [illegible] Molasses [illegible] Rosin [illegible] Tallow [illegible] Petroleum [illegible] Freights [illegible]

CHICAGO, Feb. 19. [illegible]

Thirty-Ninth Congress.

SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.

Senate

Petitions, etc., were presented and referred, among them one by Mr. Sumner, asking that the colored regiments of the regular army be officered by colored men. Referred to the Military Committee.

Mr. Morgan called up the act to provide for the safety of passengers on board vessels propelled by steam, which was passed.

Mr. Williams moved that the Senate insist on its amendments to the House bill to establish military governments in the rebel States, and agree to a Committee of Conference.

Mr. Conness opposed such action. He thought it was too important a bill to entrust to a committee of conference. He should object to any compromise that could be effected, since the House had arrived at the conclusion and was in favor of laying the bill on the table, and taking up the Louisiana bill and adapting it to the other rebel States.

After a protracted debate Mr Williams withdrew his motion for a Committee of Conference on the military government bill.

Mr Sherman moved that the Senate insist on its amendments and request the concurrence of the House.

The debate was continued as to the advisability and propriety of sending the bill to a Conference Committee, and incidentally embraced the whole question of reconstruction. It is that position and disposition failures and shortcomings of the President, the efficiency and insufficiency of the Freedmen's Bureau, and criticism of various Senators on each others course.

After further debate the Senate insisted on its amendments.

The Senate here took a recess until 7½ o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

The Chair laid before the Senate a communication from the President, in answer to the resolution of inquiry in regard to violation of the Civil Rights bill and the efforts made to enforce it. Ordered to be printed. Also a communication from the President on the revival of the reciprocity treaty. Ordered to be printed.

The bill abolishing and prohibiting peonage in New Mexico was passed.

Bills from the Military Committee were passed.

Mr Wilson called up the bill for the temporary increase of the pay of army officers.

On motion of Mr Kendrick the last section which provides for the disbandment of the militia in the rebel States was stricken out. The bill as amended was then passed.

Mr Pollard called up the bill supplementary to several acts abolishing imprisonment for debt, which was passed, and the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

Mr Banks asked leave to introduce a joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to detail a vessel to carry provisions to Southern ports for sufferers by the failure of crops, but objection was raised, as it might give rise to debate.

The bill for a more efficient government of the rebel States was taken up, the Speaker stating that the order of the questions were, first, the motion of Mr Spaulding that the House concur in the Senate amendments, and second, the motion of Mr Stevens that the House non concur.

The House negatived the motion for concurrence—yeas 78, nays 98—the Democrats mostly voting in the negative.

The amendments were non-concurred in, and a committee of conference agreed to without division.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Stevens, Shellabarger and Blaine a committee of conference on the part of the House, on the bill for the more efficient government of the rebel States.

Mr Schenck, from the conference committee, made a report on the tenure of office bill in the same tenor as that acted on by the Senate yesterday, which was agreed to—113 to 41.

After two hours' discussion on various items in the Indian appropriation bill it was passed.

The Speaker presented several Executive communications, among which was one from the Secretary of State as to the States which had ratified the constitutional amendment since his last report. They are Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Minnesota and New York.—Also a telegraphic dispatch announcing the death of Samuel Downing, the last soldier of the revolution, yesterday, at Edinburg, Saratoga county, N. Y.

The House proceeded to consider the military bill, which finally went over until to-morrow.

The army appropriation bill was taken up in committee of the whole.

The second section provides that the head quarters of the General of the army shall be at Washington, and that he shall not be removed, suspended, or relieved from command, or assigned to duty elsewhere without the previous approval of the Senate, and provides for the punishment of any officer who shall issue, transmit or obey, orders or instructions contrary to the provisions of this section.

This provoked opposition from the democratic side of the House.

Without arriving at any conclusion, the House took a recess.

EVENING SESSION.

A message was received from the Senate, insisting on its amendments to the military bill for the rebel States.

Mr Blaine moved that the House recede from its disagreement.

Mr Wilson of Iowa moved that the House concur in the Senate's amendment with a proviso that persons excluded from holding office by the constitutional amendment shall be ineligible as members of the convention to form a constitution for any such State, nor shall such persons vote for members of the convention.

After some filibustering and understanding was reached that the vote be taken to-morrow, after the reading of the journal.

Adjourned.

London, Feb. 18—evening. The cause of the Fenian outbreak in the south of Ireland is yet buried in obscurity, though the telegraph lines which run through the disaffected district are again working. Some say it was caused by the arrest of an American officer (Captain Moriarty), while others say that his prompt arrest prevented a general rising of the Irish. The British Government had news of the affair early on the 12th.

An upper servant in the household of the Earl of Kenmore had received two anonymous notes stating that the rising was planned in Killarney, and that the leader would reach Killarney that night. Constables were immediately sent to intercept him. They met a wagon, on which they found Moriarty, whom they took into custody, and upon searching his person found letters that confirmed the assertions in the anonymous notes. A courier named Duggan was sent to Caterciveen to warn the police. A party of the rebels caught him while on his way and demanded his despatches, which he refused to give up and attempted to escape. They fired upon him and he was badly wounded. As far as is known at present he is the only person who has been hurt.

The police at Caterciveen got news of the trouble by [illegible] from several spies [illegible] from the war steamer [illegible] which was lying off Valentia, and [illegible] attack.

One band, [illegible] in number, took a house [illegible] their leader, O'Connor, [illegible] the mail on the road from Killarney to Caterciveen, but did no violence to any one. In fact no where has life been taken or property destroyed. The rebel plan was to attack Killarney, capture the place and then march to Cork, but the immediate dispatch of troops from Cork to Killarney, by General Bates, and the activity of Colonel Stanford's movements, defeated the whole plot and crushed the insurgent band in detail.

A Fenian [illegible] was [illegible] by the troops, in couple of [illegible] skirmishes, but no one has been [illegible] O'Connor and his chief were [illegible] of Fenian [illegible] of Bantry Bay [illegible] Kerry [illegible] Tralee [illegible] Killarney [illegible] Fenians [illegible] Killarney [illegible] Tralee [illegible] Killarney [illegible] Tralee [illegible] Killarney [illegible] Tralee

Whig & Courier

The Good Wife.

It is just as you say neighbor Green
A treasure indeed is my wife
Such another for hearts and work
I never have found in my life.
But then she keeps everyone alive
As busy as birds on the wing!
There is never a moment not for rest,
She is such a fidgety thing

She makes the best bread in the town
Her pies are a perfect delight,
Her coffee a rich golden brown,
Her custards and puddings just right
But then while I eat them she tells
Of the care and the worry they bring
Of the quarter like hell she endures,
Oh she is such a fidgety thing.

My house is as neat as a pin,
You should see how the door handles shine
And of all the soft cushions to sit
And nicely swept carpets are mine.
But then she so frets at the dust,
At a fly at a straw or a string
That I stay out of doors all I can,
She is such a fidgety thing

She knits all my stockings herself,
My shirts are bleached white as the snow
My old clothes look better than new,
Yo daily more thread bare they grow
But then it is a moral of last
Or dust to my trousers she's cling,
I'm sure of one sermon at least
She is such a fidgety thing

You have heard of a spirit so meek,
So meek that it never opposes,
Its own it dares never to speak—
Alas I am meaker than Moses!
But then I am not reconciled
The unbearable meanness to sing
I submit to get rid of a row
She is such a fidgety thing

It is just as you say neighbor Green,
A treasure to me has been given
But sometimes I fain would be glad
To lay up my treasure in heaven
But then every life has its cross
Most pleasures on earth have their sting,
She's a treasure I know neighbor Green
But she is such a fidgety thing

The Minister's Guests.

Rector Blake was deeply in love with the Rev Allston Grainger, and her affection was reciprocated So they were married

Mr Granger lived in the country and if you want to know what kind of life his was just you go and change yourself into a minister, and settle somewhere just out of a city with all the inhabitants of which you are more or less acquainted—each and every one of whom will consider it an especial duty to come out and take dinner or tea with you a half dozen times a year, and all of whom will consider it an insult if your wife don't have three kinds of cake—and fresh milk, eggs and honey on the table Of course, people who live in the country are expected to have all these in abundance

Mrs Granger was a very pleasant, agreeable woman, and tried her best to have everything smooth, and she was overrun with company

A minister, among other things is expected to keep a hotel and to keep it in a way our modern landlords don't very well indeed without money and without pay

It must be open night and day, and not meals served at all hours Nobody must be refused admittance People who have to stay at the tavern, are sent to the minister's Tract pedlers, book pedlers agents women rights lecturers—everybody in fact must go to the minister

And then if the poor clergyman thinking of his overworked wife, and the consumptive state of his larder ventures to hint that his salary is a small one, he is piously reminded that St Paul, and St Peter, and those other fine fellows of that epoch, did not dream of receiving any salary at all

But whether they kept tavern and entertained all creation upon free cost does not appear

Mrs Granger was not a strong woman, and having been brought up delicately, her burden fell heavily They were too poor to employ help and she did all her work except her washing

The people who came visiting her never volunteered their assistance about anything Of course not It would have been too vulgar And most of the ladies were invalids—(did you ever notice that those people who go visiting most are usually out of health?)

But we are the present occasion, have only to do with the Rev Asa Drowne, and wife, and their four children Abel Prudella, Rachel Ann, and Abiathrus Nicodemus Our story is about them and the host of other people who visited Mr and Mrs Granger shall rest in obscurity

The Drownes arrived late one Saturday evening when Mrs Granger was almost dead with the headache, having just got rid of three ministers and a colporteur Mr Granger had just finished his sermon for the morrow—the doors were locked, and the family were about retiring for the night

A ring at the front door Mrs Granger's heart sank—Mr Granger drew a sigh and went to the door

On the steps were two trunks, as many handboxes, several bundles—a poodle dog, a fat red faced man—a woman of about the same style, and four children

'My dear Brother Granger' cried the man, seizing Mr Granger's hand, and giving it a heart rending wring 'I am the Rev Asa Drowne—traveling itinerant—and this is my wife, and these are my children We came at once to your house, because we knew you would be mortally offended if we did not My wife is a great invalid A dreadful sufferer! Been sick for seven years! And I will speak of it now in the beginning we must sleep where there is a fire! I wouldn't have Eliza Jane sleep away from the fire or a thousand dollars! And I want your wife to see that the sheets are well aired before a open fire, and let them be fine, very fine! My wife is nervous—exceedingly nervous—she could not sleep a wink in coarse sheets Linen is best, if you have them

I should die before morning if I had to sleep in coarse sheets! cried Mrs Drowne—a stout, fat faced woman of forty five or fifty—'I came very near going to my last home about a week ago from sleeping on an unbleached pillow case They thought I was dead for over two hours!'

Mr Granger waited on them into the sitting-room and presented them to his wife

'Have you a stuffed rocking chair?' exclaimed Mrs Drowne, 'I cannot sit a moment in an uncushioned chair' And I will take a little tea, and a bowl of oysters, or a piece of cold mince pie, I feel so faint'

'And I will trouble you for a cup of hot coffee, said Mr Drowne—it will be a sort of stay to my stomach till supper is ready What time will you have supper?

Mrs Granger shrived to the heat of her stove—her temples throbbing to bursting—and her heart the least bit rebelling at the influx of these exacting visitors

'I want some gingerbread, and some milk' yelled Abel the eldest boy—'I'm half starved!' 'Where's the cupboard? I'll help my self.'

'I want a doughnut,' yelled Priscilla—'and if I can't have that rocking chair that Mr Granger's sitting in, I don't stay! so there!'

'What a little mean room' said Nicodemus—'by crackes! what's that are on the table! and he flew at a statuette of Psyche—presented to Mr Granger by a dear friend who was then dead and which was very highly valued by him on that account.

'Hello' cried Nicodemus, 'its slippery halat it?' and down went the Psyche smash on the floor—caving in the forehead, and splitting off the largest part of the nose

Mr Granger sprang up with an exclamation of dismay

'Oh, it's no matter' said Mrs Drowne, 'you can mend it again with some of Spalding's glue I mended a mug with it the other day. I made them things a standing round in tables. They look like dead folks! Mrs. Granger, seems to me you dress a little too much for the wife of a minister at the go it. You've got a red ribbon on your hair, I observe. Now I never allow myself to wear red ribbons. I try to make myself as plain as possible.

'You couldn't try very hard!' said Mrs. Granger to herself.

'My wife is a model for a minister's wife,' said Mr. Drowne—'would that there were more like her. Miss Jane my love, you can have a bath, Mrs. Granger will show you the bath room. Wash yourself to-night, Jane, and to-morrow morning you can have a good long bath. Mrs. Granger will show you the bath room.'

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